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In re application of   Docket No: Q67143

Naoto YAMADA

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 7, 2003, please amend the above-identified

application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

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Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For						
All Claims	21	-	20	=	1	X	$18.00	=	$ 18.00
Independent	4	-	3	=	1	X	$86.00	=	$ 86.00
					TOTAL			=	**$104.00**

The statutory fee of $104.00 is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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